

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Masanobu AKIMOTO et al.

International Application No.:
PCT/JP2005/003799

Application No: 10/591,834

International Filing Date:
March 4, 2005

Confirmation No: 3085

Art Unit: 1641

Filed: March 15, 2007

Examiner: J.L. Grun

For: METHOD OF DETECTING ALLERGEN

Atty. Docket No: 31671-235624

Customer No:

26694

PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

REPLY

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir::

In response to the non-final Office Action dated December 7, 2009 in the above-referenced application, please amend the specification and claims as indicated below and consider the remarks which follow.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 9 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 14 of this paper.